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Mr. Lester A. Snow, Director California Department of Water Resources P.O. Box 942836, Room 1115-1 Sacramento, CA 94236-0001

Attention Mr. Ralph Svetich

Dear Mr. Snow:

GREATER LOS ANGELES INTEGRATED REGIONAL WATER MANAGEMENT REGION REGIONAL ACCEPTANCE PROCESS SUMMARY

On behalf of the Leadership Committee of the Greater Los Angeles County Integrated Regional Water Management (IRWM), we would like to thank the California Department of Water Resources for recommending the certification of the Greater Los Angeles County Region.

The Leadership Committee of the Greater Los Angeles County Region developed our IRWM Plan through a collaborative and transparent process with input from five subregions made up of stakeholders from cities, water agencies, the environmental community, and many other parties. We have been and will continue to engage all parties in the region to participate in the region's planning, integration, and implementation process. It is our intention to continue building trust with all parties, identifying goals we have in common, and implementing strategies that will help to address the region's water resources needs. Thank you again for your recommendation.

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If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Mark Pestrella, Deputy Director, at (626) 458-4001 or mpestrel@dpw.lacounty.gov.

Very truly yours,

GAIL FARBER

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